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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Tina Etcheverry et al. :

App. No.: (not yet known) : Art Unit: 1646
(CON of 08/470,849) (prior case)

Filed: (herewith) : Examiner: Michael D. Pak
(prior case)

For: MAMMALIAN CELL CULTURE PROCESS

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

In the Specification:

At page 1, before "FIELD OF THE INVENTION", insert

-- CROSS-REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS

This application is a continuation of copending Application
No. 08/470,849, filed June 6, 1995. --

In the Claims:

Cancel Claims 1-23.

Add Claims 24 - 27, as follows:

- 24. A method for culturing a mammalian host cell to produce a heterologous glycoprotein, comprising:
- (a) culturing the cell in a growth phase at a temperature suitable for cell growth, followed by